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**AMENDMENT**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 13, 2006 (No Paper Number), for which a shortened statutory period of three months ending May 13, 2006 was set in which to respond, please consider the following amendments and comments.

Applicant submits that this response is timely in view of the attached Certificate of Priority Mailing.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 4 of this paper.

Listing/Amendments to the Claims begin on page 6 of this paper.

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